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A SECRET OF DUDEDOM.

Well on Small Saluries.

lite little ripple in the society in which

they move.

The early elevated trains and horse

cars are crowded with well dressed

young men, who gaze about as com-

placently and self satisfied as if they

were part owners in a railroad and lived only to cut coupons and draw dividends.

They are dressed well, and their cloth-

ing, from the cape coat to the light cloth gaiters over their shoes, would compare

favorably with the latest fashion plate. Yet if you follow them you will be pretty

sure to learn that they are simply clerks

in brokers' offices, and do not receive more than \$15 in a majority of cases.

How do they dress so well, then? Do

they "borrow" from their employers, or

do they speculate in bucket shops? They

do not "borrow," and, as for speculat-

ing, they do that sometimes in a small way. Their clothes are bought honestly

enough with the money they carn every

week, and the way they do it is very

Most New Yorkers have heard of that

class of people known as "fences," whose

business is to buy stolen goods from the

thieves direct at a ridiculously low price,

and sell the stuff to small dealers at a small profit. A "fence" will buy any-

thing that is stolen, from a silver spoon

to a suit of clothes or an assortment of clothing, and thereby hangs part of the

tale. Every time there is a big clothing

robbery the stuff is fenced and immediately passed to the sacred precincts of Baxter screet. Sometimes the better

portion of the thieves' work find their

way into clothing stores in better neigh-

borhoods, and because of the extremely

reasonable price at which it is bought

the suits are sold very cheap. Now, you would not suppose a broker's clerk would

go to Baxter street for clothes. Neither

does he. He sends the clothing man's

agent for what he wants. This agent

calls on the clerk and is told what style of clothing is wanted. Then the young

man is measured, and when the clothes

come home they need very little altering.

The cost is comparatively nothing. A

good Prince Albert coat and vest can be bought for from \$8 to \$20, while cutaways

and sack suits are to be had for prices

ranging from \$5 to \$15. Of course a

great deal of the stuff is second hand and

a great deal is stolen. The second hand clothes are easily "fixed up," and the

merchants of Baxter street have so deli-

cate of facility for this "fixing up" process that they will change the whole

complexion of a suit. The stolen goods

are sold just as they are bought with the exception of a slight change in the

Still there is another, more legitimate

way of obtaining clothing that is fash-

ionable, new and costly. There are a great many young men, rich and fash-ionable, in New York, who spend most

of their time buying and giving clothes

away after wearing them once or twice.

This may seem strange to men who have

but two suits, and wear them until they

are absolutely too threadbare to wear any

longer, yet nevertheless it is the case.

Suits of clothes costing all the way from

\$50 to \$100 each are made for these

wealthy young men, and are worn prob-

ably three or four times and then given

to valets. To follow the course of the clothes from this point would be a pretty

beavy undertaking. Sometimes they are

sold to second hand dealers on Sixth.

Fourth and Third avenues, who make a

handsome profit on every suit bought

him the valet keeps the best for himself,

of course, and manages to make consid-

erable money out of what he sells. Thus it is that so many young men earning

small salaries can dress so fashionably and live honestly.—The Clothier.

He Was Wrong.

"Can I speak to you a moment?" he said softly as he called the chief clerk in

the postoffice to the window the other

"Thanks. I didn't know but you were

"Probably not, as I am of no great

consequence. I now desire to ask your pardon. Will you forgive me?"

"Thanks. I believed you would. You

see, I expected a letter from my aunt.

None came. She couldn't write one.

She was dead. See? Therefore, how could I get one? I take it back. I apol-

"Thanks I'll never do it again. This is an honest postoffice. I was wrong.

The steamships have not yet done with the Atlantic record. But the proof of

the pudding is not more in the eating than that of the ship in her actual sailing or steaming. Vessels built, so far as ap-peared, exactly alike have showed wide

difference in speed. The newer craft will illustrate the question of the double

screw. The principle has been successful in its application to smaller boats on rivers and in harbors. If it works well

in rough water it will largely revolution-

ize marine construction. So, as the ro-mance of the "wet sheet" and the "flow-

ing sea" and the "wind that follows fast" sinks below the ocean horizon, science

Eupepsy.

ogize. I was wrong. Shake."

Good-by,"—Detroit Free Press.

'That's all right."

busy. Two months ago I came here and asked for a letter. Remember it"

day. "Certainly.

it. Remember?"

'Of course.

Out of the clothes given to

maker's tag on the inside of the collar.

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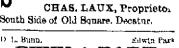
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ONE NIGHT STANDS."

Why Some of the Gilded Youths Dress S There is a permanent interrogation

point in a great many people's minds, lidding Farewell to Digestion and Comand that is how young men earning anywhere from \$10 to \$18 a week can dress as well as men carning five or six times as much. Yet they manage to doit, and sider This Warning. have enough money left to make a po-

I shall never forget my first experience of "one night towns." We had been playing in large cities and staying a week at of discontent and rebellion in the company when it came near time for our "one night jumps," as they called them, but I thought the actors unreasonable. I rather enjoyed the idea of only staying one day in a place. I thought it would be interesting to see the different towns. and I would never have a chance to get sick of a place or a hotel.

When we left the city where we had

"What cranks they are," I thought. "Any one would think we were going to camp out among the Pawnee Indians by the way they talk."

enowing hard; there was no 'bus to take us to the hotel, so we had to walk. The whole youthful populace seemed to be at

They followed us every step of the way to the hotel. Two little girls were ahead of us, and they kept turning around and walking backwards at the imminent risk of their necks, so as not to lose eight of us for an instant. At first I felt rather flattered, thinking that this was their way of paying tribute to genius; but from the nature of their remarks I soon learned that I was greatly mistaken. If there is anything in the world that people in country towns look down upon and despise it is "show folks." When we arrived at the hotel we found

ing. "This looks quite homelike and nice," I said. "I wish I had your hopeful disposition," said the comedian gloomily. We went up to the parlor and waited to be shown to our rooms. After we had been there for some time a shock headed boy appeared with our keys. My roor was bare and comfortless, there was a sheet non stove in the corner, but there was no fire in it. I called the boy's attention to this fact, and he said he would build a fire "in a jiffy." He went away, but soon came back again, bringing a basket of wood. He began to build the fire. Just as he had cleared the ashes out of the stove some one called 'Bell boy," and he disappeared. I began to think he had forgotten all about me, when he came back and began again. As he was going to light the fire some one shouted "Porter," he got up and went out. I waited for him for some time, then I went into the hall and called "Bell boy" as loud as I could. He came running up the hall. "I want my fire built," I said. "Wall, I can't wait on more'n forty at once, can I?" he said. "Why don't some of the other bell boys come up?" "There sin't none," he said, "I'm the only porter and bell boy and waiter and clerk there is." At last my

THEY CAME IN TO HAVE A TIME. "Probably not, as you are always busy. I didn't get any. I gave it as my opinion that some of you had stolen

"Probably not, but I spoke very emphatically. That was my opinion, and I went away feeling very much lurt. Rethere listening to their artless merriment until supper time.

> I know them! When I opened my door there they stood, ranged along the wall in rows, waiting for the "show folks" to come out. They made personal remarks in lead, piercing voices as we passed them, then they followed us into the dining room, where they never took their eyes from us, but watched every mouthful we ate. There was nothing fit to eat on the table. I drank a cup of some strange compound, which they called tea. It neither cheered nor incbriated When we got to the "opera house" we found a dirty little stage and dirty little dressing rooms. It was so cold in the dressing room that we had to break the ice in the water pitcher. We shivcred through a performance. The people

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time in each of them. I noticed a spirit

been playing there was a look of settled melancholy on our comedian's face. I asked him what was the matter. "I have just said a long farewell to my digestion," said he. "Yes," said the leading man, "so have I. I could have wept when I left my comfortable room this morning. I knew I would not see another spring mattress for weeks."

AN ESCORT FROM THE TRAIN.
When we reached Smithville it was

"Here they come," yelled a gawky,

overgrown boy as we came out of the station.

it a comfortable locking wooden buildfire was built and I lay down to rest.

I had been traveling all night and part of the day, and I was tired and sleepy. I soon dozed off. Just as I was getting into a nice uap I was awakened by a loud shriek. I started up. What was it? I soon found out. A party of "young folks" from the neighboring farms had come down to "see the show." They drove into town in sleighs, and as they wanted a "real good time" they came early in the afternoon so as to take supper at the hotel and go to the "opery house" afterward.

They had assembled in the parlor, and were "soothing their savage breasts" with music. They played on the wheezy old melodeon and sung "White Wings" and "Stick to Your Mother, Tom." After they had sung all the sentimental songs they knew, they began on Moody and Sankey. After a while they tired of singing, and a blessed calm followed for a few blissful munutes. But it did not last long; they began playing games, and ran up and down the halls shricking, laughing and banging doors.

I gave up all idea of sleeping and lay

When the bell rang for supper a deadly silence fell. "Thank goodness, they have gone!" I thought. Little did in the audience never laughed when they ought to, and they always laughed when they ought not. Anything at all approaching the nature of a love scene they seemed to think excruciatingly funny, but they never smiled during the comedy

As soon, as the curtain was down we packed our trunks and hurried to the depot. The train was three hours late, so we sat in the station until nearly 3 o'clock in the morning. After a week of such experiences the comedian said to me, "How do you like one night stands?"
"I do not like them," I replied.—Columbine in Chicago Tribune.

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work of slaughter.
Mr. Knox describes a little "drive" his party had on their own account: There were ten or twelve kangaroos feeding quietly, and we were within a few hundred yards of them before they were aware of it. At the first alarm they rose on their hind legs and took a look all around, and a second later they were away. How they did jump! They seemed to go thirty or forty feet at a time, but our host said it was little more than fifteen feet. We let loose the dogs which up to this time had been kept be hind us, and they went away without any urging. The dogs are kept for this purpose, just as fox hounds are kept in England and France, or deer hounds in Scotland. The dogs soon overtook and pulled down a young kangaroo, and then they were put on the trail of an "old

A Kangaroo Drive

Kangaroos are a great scourge to the

farmers in some parts of Australia. They

destroy the grass and literall a starve the

sheep off the plains. This forces the

farmers to devise means for killing them off, and a "drive" is the one generally

employed. A yard with a high fence is

built on the plain, and two fences run

from it for a long distance, coming to-

gether like the letter V, and all the men,

boys and blacks in the neighborhood are

mounted on horseback and scour the

country for miles around. They drive

the kangaroos into the jaws of the V,

and thence into the yard, where the blacks enter with clubs and begin the

man" kangaroo, as a full grown male is called. The "old man" led the dogs a lively chase. He made directly for water, several miles away, which is their custom. If he cannot reach water he takes his stand with his back against a tree, and in that position is a dangerous creature to approach. We followed the dogs as closely as we could, but did not come up

to them until the kangaroo was at bay in a pool where the water just left his fore legs clear as he stood upright. The dogs swam around him or stood on the shore of the pool when we came up. The pool was a small one and the creature realized that it was his safest retreat, and he was evidently determined to die game. A shot from a rifle in the hands of one of the men finished him.—Philadelphia Times.

Horseshoes of Rubber.

The proposed substitution of India rubber for metal in the manufacture of horseshoes is based upon various sup-posed advantages, one of these being that the former enables the horse to go easier over all kinds of roads and rough or slip-

pery ground without slipping.
According to this design, the shoe consists of an India rubber bottom piece molded to fit over or around the frog of the hoof, with a ledge or protecting rim rising up the front and around the level where the nails are clamped, the protection having a ledge under which a steel band or other appliances can be drawn and nipped tight to retain the rubber shoe. The band is connected by studs, which pass through the heel part of the hoof, this being cut away from the inner side for the purpose, and the stud or studs may work eccentrically to obtain grip or tixing. If the rubber shoe is used with an iron shoe the frog portion, or pad, has a front plate and two side ngs partially imbedded in it to hold the rubber shoe in place. If the rubber shoe be divided or made thin in the center a swivel or other bar can be contracted from the rear to reduce the width of the pad, so that it enters easily and also expands so as to fix the rubber shoes in position.-New York Telegram.

porch mending the clothes of one of her numerous progeny. A neighbor passing stopped in for a social chat. A large work basket, half full of buttons, sat on the floor of the porch. After various remarks of a gossipy nature the visitor

"You seem to be well supplied with buttons, Mrs. Goodman." "Yes; very well, indeed."

"My gracious! If there ain't two of the same buttons my husband had on his last winter's suit. I'd know 'em any "Indeed!" said the minister's wife

calmly. "I am surprised to hear it, as all of these buttons were found in the contribution box. So I thought I might as well put them to some use, so I-what! must you go? Well, be sure to call again."—West Point Alliance.

The Highest Waterfall.

A recent traveler in New Zealand de scribes the great Sutherland waterfall 'The water," he says, "dashes over the cliff in three grand leaps, and constitute about one-half of the entire volume of about one-half of the entire volume of the Arthur river. The first leap is over a dizzy cliff into a rocky basin 815 feet below. Jumping forth again, it makes another leap of 751 feet, and then goes tumbling and leaping in one wild dash of 338 feet into the pool at the foot of the precipice. The total height is 1,904 feet, making the waterfall the highest vet discovered. When the sun is shining rainbows of all sizes hang over the fall, and the effect is indescribably beautiful."

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Woman of the House (reflectively)-Lemme see? Didn't I buy a cake of that very soap from you four years ago? Peddler (hastily)—Good day, mum, ex-cuse my mistake. Wrong house.— Jewellers' Weekly.

Soul Fitting. "Don't you think there is something wonderfully satisfying in Herr Ausge-spiehl's playing, professor?" "Indeed I do; I had enough before he had been at the piane five minutes, but he went on for half an hour."-Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.

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Lucoln's First Speech. Somebody has given to the public what is pretended to be the first speech ever delivered by Abraham Lincoln. This chort sput down as having been made near "pringfield "nearly fifty years ago," when the jourg giant had been nominated for the legislature. The date is too r cent; he was something of a public speaker over tifty years ago. In the spring of 1830, nearly sixty years ago: Lucolo came to Macon county from Ind ana. He was then a youth of 21, and he remained here about a year. It was during that period, and while living in his cabin in Niantic township, where he split the famous rails, that he made what split the famous rails, that he made what wise it all probability the first speech of the famous rails and the papers now sent to have been up to this time, withheld from publication. A telegram from Mr. Pendleton on February the summer his life. Some time during the summer of 1830, which was a cump dgn year, Gen. Whiteside, who was a candidate for con-LIGS, accompanied by a legislative candidate, came to Decatur to make speeches and shake Lands with the scattered voters. At that time Gen. I. C. Pugh "kept store" on West Main street, about where Lhabod Baldwin now lives. At the close of the meeting, which had been held in the grove the crowd adjourned to Pugh's store, to talk over the events of the day, to make the personal acquaintance of the candidates, and, as was the costom of the country, to partake of about the only refreshment that could be had in the wilderness. Among those present was a gangling six-footer, a beardiess youth, who seemed to be popniar among his fellows, and the youngsters who knew him demanded that he should make them a speech. After a considerable amount of bantering the awkward boy coass ated, and mounting a box or 'arrel delivered the first speech of his life. It was upon a subject of vast importance and of absorbing interest at the time. It was upon the practicability the time. It was upon the practicability of making the Sangamon river navigable. The ungraceful orator had ideas upon the subject, and gave them to his hearers. The big man of the occasion, Gen. White-ments to provide the participating governments to provide the participating governments to but an end, by the agreement of The big man of the occasion, Gen. Whiteside, was stracted by the speech and calling Pugh to one side asked, "Isaac who is that young fellow?" Pugh informed him that the "young fellow" hved 'comewhere out in the country, and that its only knew that his name was Lincolo; that he occasionally came to the store to try paper and an hitmags, and further—information he could not give. "Well, remitrical Whiteside, "he's nobody's d—d fool, by a long way," and the ungainly youth had made a hit in the first speech -information he could not give. "Well, youth had made a hit in the first speech of his life. The particulars of this epi-

The Murder of Clayton.

Decatur was the starting point of the

sode were obtained from Gen. Pugh himself, long after the world had shouted

itself hourse in singing the praises of the

Leavenworth Times: The motive of this crime is too transparent to allow of its being passed unnoticed by Congress. It easts a burn! hight upon the conditions under which Southern Republicans have to contend for their rights. There is no matice in an Arkansas court for a Repubhean and no likelihood that the Democrat who took Mr. Clayton out of Mr. Breckurridge's way, by the short and easy method of assessination, will be punished. But the Fity-first Congress owes provision which makes it a judge of the qualifications of its members. It is in its power to see to it that the fruits of this crime are not enjoyed. As Mr. Breckinridge's title rests tist on fraud, and sec-ond only on assessmation, it would be fit-ting that his seat should be declared

STEPs are now being taken by the penmun department looking to the perfection of a feature that must be of great value to those seeking persions. Blanks Lave been sent to the adjutants of all the G. A. R. posts in the country to be filled by those who have been in the service, giving their names, where they enlisted, what regiment they belonged to, when they were discharge their present place of residence, etc. I ese blanks are to be returned to Washington, and as soon as the returns are all in they will be embodned in books to be published by the department, and keet open for inference.

It is requestly the case the an appropriate to the control of t cant for a pension mace ark nace this: "It So and So is also, and I knew where to find him, I could get the state-m at that I need." It is hoped and exeted that the forthcoming to as will

rented the residence of Prof. Bell in for inauguration week, and desiring to entertain some frierds on that accraion he has rented a furnished dwelling convenient to the notels, for the use of which he will pay \$500 for one week. Nothing small about Levi P. Morton.

AN ugly complexion made Neithera fright, Her face was an purply and red, Though her features acre good, and her eyes were bright, "What a plain girl is Nellie," they said. But now, as by mag o, plain Nellich as group.
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THE PROTOCOLS.

The Injunction of Secresy Having Been Removed by the Treaty Powers.

The True Inwardness of the Samoan Trouble is Made Public by Secretary Bayard.

Bismarck's Scheme for a Resumption of the Conference at Berlin Agreed To by All Parties

[Signed] WARRINGTON, Feb. 9.-The President yesterday transmitted to Congress s quantity of correspondence regarding the Samoan dispute, and the protocols of the conference of 1987. In his formal letfer of transmittal to the President, Secretary Bayard says that the governhave consented to the publication of these joint protocols. The agreement to consider the discussions of the conference in the Secretary says, has alone for a Constitution; also that the foreign formal purisdiction of these publication of the stands of painton, and the second publication of the stands of painton, and the second publication of the stands of painton, and the second publication of the stands of painton, and the second publication of the second ments of Germany and Great Britain reary I informed the Department that the reported action of the German Consulat Apia, who against the protest of the British Consul had declared foreigners under martial law, was contrary to in-structions, and he had been rebuked, and that the German Government would adhere strictly to the treaty status. Mr. Pendleton added that this statement from the German Secretary of State for For-eign Affairs anticipated the representations Mr. Pendleton was instructed to make, and he would therefore withhold them for the present. kings were at war. The conference of July Mr. Bayard said

The following note was sent by Secretary Bayard to Count Arcoon February 1: MY DEAR COUNT ARCO-Referring to my note of yesterday, I have now the pleasure it inform you that a telegram just received from Mr. Pendleton, at Berlin, states that the declaration of murtial law by the German Consul at Apia, had been anticipated, and at the forat Apis, has seen anticipated, and as the over-ergn office the had been informed that the as-sumption of the German Consul at Apia was disavowed, and that such action if it had been taken was regretted and rebuted by the German Covernment Prince Bismarck to Count Arco (read

the latter to the Secretary of State February 4! The present situation in Samoa regarding

the interests of the three treaty powers, ren-ders it necessary to renew the attempt to bring the future of these islands to an understanding. The position of the three treaty powers in the ivilized world, makes it their duty to stop the design by the Germany and the British Government, the consultation regarding the Samoan question. The last conference took place at Washington. According to the equal rights of the three treaty powers, it seems proper that the place for the negotiations should charge in regular turn. Hase's upon this opinion, I am directed to invite the Government of the United States to a conference regarding Samoa, to take place at Berlin, and a similar invitation has been sent to the British Government. I am also directed to declare that any supposition that Germany would not be axisfied with her position in the Samoan great appetle of freedom. There is no doubt that this effort made right here in Decatur, was the very first beginning of the great career which filled the world. satisfied with her position in the Samoan Islands is unfounded, as we have : ready do clared in the last conference (of 1947) in neither put in question the dependence of the island group, nor the equal rights of the treat;

We simply desire to create a condition which offers permanent security for bringing to an end bloodshed and decapitation, and which grants permanent safety to the commercial interests of the three treaty Powers in Samoa Mr. Bayard to Count Arco.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 5 WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 5

Sin: The President having been made acquainted fully with the tentor of the instructions received by you from Prince Bismarch and read by you tosterday for my transcription, herequested me to say that he fully shares in the desire expressed by the Prince Chancel or to bring the blessing of peace and order to the remote and feeble community of semi-civil ited people inhabiting the Islands of Samoa, and that he clearly recognities the duty of the powerful nations of Christendom to deal with these people in a state of magnanimity. On these people in a state of magnanimity. On behalf of the United States Government, the President instructs me to express his accept President instructs me to express his accept since of the proposal of the Covernment of Germany to rescene the consultations held in this city between the representatives of the United States, Germany and Grest Britain, which was suspended on the 26th day of July, 187, such consultation to be renewed, as it was

which was suspended on the 26th day of July, 1871, such consultation to be renewed, as it was undertaken, for the purpose of establishing peace and an orderly, stable government in the Suman Island so in the basis of their recognized independence, and the equal rights of the three treaty powers. The resumption of such conference as is now proposed by Prince B smarck, upon the general lines advanced by each of the three powers as set forth in the protocols of the conference as far as it has progressed, and embracin entire points of agreement, appear to present at by "if prospect for securing the welfare of the son neopie, and such a neutralization of the form recand navigation to all the better and in vew of the late deplocable scenes of blood-hed which have been exhibited upon Sannoan soil, deeply regretted truce should be torthwith male, and turther arrived action should be arrested. A contentior of arms by such a scenty band as the Sannoar spains the vist ammanents of dermany has belone results in such a scenty band as the Sannoar spains the vist ammanents of dermany has belone results in such a struggle.

As the assurance of Prince Bismarck, that the next feet of the Sannoar roun and the

As the assurance of Prince Bismarck, that As the assurance of Prince Hismarck, that the pacification of the Samona group and the occupation of a neutral position are his only objects as a frankly accepted by the United States as it is tendered by Germany, it is suggested, in furtherance of the desired result of the conference, that instructions to suspend belligerent action and await the action of such beligerent action and await the action of such conference should at once be telegraphed it their respective officers in Samoa, by the three treaty powers. To continue to prosecute s war of destruction and reprisal even upon admitted provocation would surely not consist with the object of any of the three powers. It is hoped, it erefore, that orders of the nature find cated, will be forwarded to Samos without delay. The agrangement of the conference delay. The announcement of the conference

between the treat powers, it is confidently ex-pected, will at once cause a reseation of hostilities smong the natives, and their speed milities known the hitties, and their speed; natification of a king would be a long step toward setting affairs. It is deemed essentiathat the of rein Samea should remain is statu quo 6 mg the conference. If we may include the loops which the adoption of sug-

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The statements emanating from the German
Consul at Samoa, in which be finds fault with
the conduct of Capitalu Leary of the "Nipsic,"
and Mr. Blacklock, the United States Consul, as violative of the instructions of this Govern ent to maintain an impartial attitude in the ment to maintain an impartial attitude in un-conflicts in Samoa, do not appear to be sub-stantiated by an averment of any personal knowledge of the facts, but must have been based upon information and belief only, or are reported at second hand and must be classed as merely hearsay evidence. These conflicting statements of the German Consul will be rought to the attention of Captain Leary and brought to the attention of Captain Leary and Mr. Blacklock, and their reply will be com-municated. Much allowance must be made for the excitement prevailing in Samoa, which is not favorable to scenarcy or moderation of statement, especially of those concerned as

gestions promises for a successful issue of the conference, the Government of the United

States will at once take steps to be properly

The protocols of the conference be tween the United States, Germany and England, which began at Washington July 25, 1887, shows that at the first meet ing a memorandum was submitted on behalf of the United States. It provided for the independence and autonomy of the Kingdom of the Islands of Samoa; for Consuls should retain criminal jurisdic-tion over their countrymen, and that each of the treaty powers could alternately keep a man-of-war in Samoan waters four months in each year. The German Minister said that Malietoa had notoriously violated his treaty obligations; that the Samoans are incapable of maintaining peace and order, and therefore he sug-gested an advisor to the King, this advisor to act as the mandatory of the three Powers. He acknowledged absolute equality of treatment in respect of commerce, navigation, jurisdiction and all other matters. The British Minister favored an international land court and an ulterior consular jurisdiction as the

he understood had agreed upon the following point: That there should be no annexation of the islands by any of the treaty powers; that the independenc of the islands was to be preserved, with equal right of commerce and navigation for the subjects of the treaty powers: that the native povernment was to be estabthe native government was to be established and assisted to maintain itself; that the present periodiction of consults over their own countrymen should be preserved; that the present treaties be maintained; tained so far as the rights of the three powers under them were concerned; that means for the raising of revenue for support of the government should be devised, and the question of foreigners should be considered; that a hand court should be stablished to settle titles, etc.

Mr. Bayard said that Germany and Great Britain proposed that there should be only a council of chiefs. The United States would suggest a king, a council of chiefs, and a legislative assembly, com-posed of representatives elected by the people of the islands. The German Min-ister said if there was such a legislative assembly as Mr. Bayard proposed, it should have a consultative and not a de-ciding vote, and with this understanding he was not opposed to such an assembly Mr. Bayard said that there were some other points upon which the propositions of the Powers d d not run so closely together. The first was as to the kingship. The United States in view of existing treaty and declaration made by Consuls, had proposel the continued recognition of Mulieton Langepa as King, and of Tamasez as Vicc-King. The British and German governments proposed a new election. In this, for the sake of coming to an agreement, he was disposed to concur. The customs of the Samoans should prevail in it and the result of the election should be an-nounced to and declared by the three consuls, who should not otherwise participate in the proceedings.

Mr. Bayard said his proposal to let Malietoa remain as King had been ob-jected to by Germany and Great Britain. The German Minister asked whether the newly-elected King should not be approved by the powers? Mr. Bayard thought not. The German Minister said the people might nominate their King and the powers confirm him. Mr. Bayard ob jected to this on the ground that this would virtually give the powers the choic of a King.

Mr. Bayard said that there had been

cussed Mr. Bayard opposed it as embar-rassing the court. The German Minister coincided with Mr. West.

At the fourth conference, held July 16 the German Musister said that Mr. Bayard had stated that if the German plan were followed, it would result eventually in converting the islands into a German possession. Mr. Bayard replied that he had understood the proposition of the British Minister to be that the three governments should alternate in the appoint-ment of the mandatory, but that in consideration of its greater interest, Ger-many should have the first five years. He thought that the recognition of a pre ponderance of interest would weaken the neutrality of the islands. The German Minister said that Mr. Bayard's plan for a co-operation of the three Powers had been tried in the municipal board of Apia and had proved a failure there. He quoted from the report of Mr. Thurston as follows. "The great object of a Samoan party when seeking to gain an as-cendency is intrigue for foreign support, and hence much of the trouble has risen." The co-operation of the two other Powers, the Minister said, with the Power having the predominating interest would bring about the result that all de-

On July 21 the fifth conference was held. The land title court was discused at great length, and during the discussion the question of control came up again.

Mr. Bayard asked if he expressed the views of the British Minister when he said that the mandatory scheme did not in-volve the recognition of any preponderance of interest, which he thought ought not to be taken into account in dealing with the mafters before the conference.

"Certainly," said Mr. West. The German Minister interposed the objection that he could no. allow the adoption of a plan which would at any time throw the control of the islands into the hands of either of the two countries whose interests were less than those of

Mr. Bayard said that the proposed land commission was the corner-stone of the arrangement; but in the plan proposed by Germany, the preponderance of inter-

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ests were to be the beginning, and the middle, and the end of the whole thing. Mr. West said that he could not see it is

that way. At the conference on July 26, the German Minister read a paper in which he defined the meaning of the memoradum read at the conference to be that German Minister read a paper in which the dodined the meaning of the memoradum read at the conference to be that Germany, having the largest interest in Samon, claims to be intrusted by the other two Powers to expectise the efficient control there, as well for her own interest as for those of Great Britain and the United States.

Mr. Bayard abserted that the plan of the German Minister was a foreign auto-

the German Minister was a foreign auto-cratic government, based on mercantile interests. Mr. Bayard favored an ad journment until the autumn, in order to give the governments of Germany and Great Britain time to consider the proto

The governments of Germany and Great Britain have expressed their consent to the pub-lication of the joint protocols, five in number, of the Samoon treaty. The President sent to the Senate yesterday the numerations of Carroll D. Wright, of Mass achusetts, to be Commissioner of Labor, and Thos. M. Vance, of North Carolina, to be re-ceiver of public moneys at North Yakima.

The President transmitted to Congress yes The President transmitted to Congress yes-terday another batch of Samoan correspond-ence, including the proposal of Prince Bismarck for the conference on the basis of mative inde-pendence and equality of rights among the treaty powers, and the President's acceptance The President gave a dinner to the Supreme Court Thursday evening.

The Senate military committee will favor

ably report the bill giving the widow of Ganeral Sheridan \$0,000 in lieu of a pension. The visit of Governor Hill of New York to Washington provoked much discussion among Democrats as to the campaign of 1882 The Democratic members of the Senate con The Democrack members and post-roads propose to try to force the majority of the committee to act upon some of the nominations now pending. There are more than two hundred post masters hung up in that committee.

A caucus of Republican Senators was held resterday morning to determine what date should be fixed for the consideration of the Chandler resolution for the investigation of the alleged Louisiana election outrages. No conclusion was reached, and another caucus will be held in the pear future. be held in the near future. It was determined by the Ropublican Sena-torial caucus yesterday to take up the re-port on the Washington County (Tex.) election outrages next Monday

Vice-President-el et Morton, not being able Vice-President-elvet Morton, not being anic to get into Prof Heli's residence, which is to be his Washington home for the next four years, by inauguration week, has leased the residence No. 198 H street in which to enter-tain his friends at that time The Cherokee delogation are evidently to dis

tress over the Oklahom question. They have telegraphed for Chief Mays to come to Washington at once, and the Chief has left Tallequah for this city

FIFTIETH CONGRESS (Second Sension.) SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Peb. 9.—The Naval and Fortification Appropriation bills were reported and placed on the calendar Mr Evarts gave notice that he would call up. on Monday next, the resolution reported from the committee or privileges and elections relating to the Texas outrages.

outrages.

Mr. Stewart offered a resolution for the appointment of a scleet committee of seven to consider the subject of trifuction, and the best method of reclaiming the arid lands of the United States. Referred. Mr. Chandler's resolution as to naval officers claims, and in relation to the removal of em loves under the Commissioners of the Dis trict of Columbia, and the resolution of Mr

trict of Commons, and the resolution of Mr. Chace as to changes of railway postal clerks, since January, 1965, were agreed to
On motion of Mr. Spooner the resolution of
Mr. Gibson for an inquire as to the state of suffrage throughout the United States, with the
substitute offered by Mr. Chandler as to the recontrolled to the state of the controlled in Louising was referred to the cent election in Louisiana, was referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

The Senate then took up the House bill to quiet the titles of settlers on the Des Moines River lands in Iowa.

River lands in Iowa.

Mr. Evarts opposed the bill. He said it had been before Congress for many years, but had passed the two houses of Congress but once disst Congress) when it was vetoed by the President in a message that was brief and terse, and presenting precisely the legal and constitutional questions involved.

Mr. Wilson defended the bill, and withou

Mr. Wilson defended the bill," and without further debate the bill was passed.

The Legislative Appropriation bill was then taken up. The amendment to increase the clerical force of the C vil-Service Commission was rejucted, and the bill was passed.

The Union Pacific Re'unding bill was taken up, the pending question being Mr. Mitcheil's motion to recommit the bill with instructions and the control of the president of the presi in Include in its provisions, the Central Pacific

railroad.

Mr Mitchell made a speech in support of his motion, at the conclusion of which the bil went over without action. The disagreeing conference report on the South Dakota Admission bill was presented, and a new conference ordered,

affairs was read, and after the passage of HOUSE. The House, immediately after meeting to day, took up the Army Appropriation bill. An amendment appropriating \$3.000 for the pur-

chase of muskets was adopted. The committee then retired, and the bill was

passed.

The Agricultural Appropriation bill was then taken up for consideration, and Mr. Enlow (Tenn.) made an attack upon the system of distributing seeds. Hs remarks, however, had no effect, and a motion by him to strike out the clause was voted fown. clause was voted fown.

The bill was then passed, and the House, at five o'clock, took a recess till 7:30 p. m. EVENING SESSION.

The House at the night session passed thirty eight private pension bills, and at ten o'clock adjourned

Chandler's Chances Naw York, Feb. 8.—A Herald special from Washington has the following: "In-

formation has been received in this city form Governor Sawyer of New Hamp-shire that he will not appoint Senator Chandler to serve in the interim from the 4th of March to the 19th of June, at which date the Legislature will meet to elect a Senator for the remainder of the term of six years ending March 4, 1895. Among the names of those mention ed as likely to be appointed by Governor Sawyer in naming Senator Chandler's successor, are General G. Marston, J. Smith, J. N. Smith and Daniel Hall. The reason for Governor Sawyer's course in this matter are said to be founded upon events growing out of the famous railroad fight before the New Hamp rainoad ngot before the New Hamp-shire Legislature two years ago. Governor Sawyer vetoed the bill that was passed providing for the sale or con-solidation of a road in which the State was interested, on the ground that the railroad people had attempted to improperly influence the Legislature. In his paper Senator Chandler attacked the veto because, it is said, of the reason given for its issue. He had no controversy with the Governor over the veto itself, but his friends say he did not believe it was right that the Legislature should rest under the imputation of being wrongfully

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES. The bucket shop of Heiman, Sprague & kidmore, of New York City, suspended feater-

-A fire at Decatur, Tex., on Thursday, de

Trom ENGOUS to 170,000 of the company a money.

—Dr. McLardon, living near Paris, Tex., had both hands so badly burned, as to necessitate amputation, white saving the life of Miss Minso Craft, whose clothes were on fire. The young lady was also severely burned.

10,000; market firm.
Oattle, 2,000; market steady.
Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 21; Spring young lady was also severely burned.

-- A Mrs. Henderson, of Covington, Ky., was burned to death in her bed Thursday night under circumstances which point to murder. Her son John, who was found asleep in a dranken stuper in a room adjoining his mother's, was arrested. He was too drunk to talk 11; Corn, 491; Oate, 126.

—A motion for a change of venue for the third trial of Arthur J. McQuade, the alleged "boodle" aiderman of New York City, was made before Justice O'Brien in the Supreme Court chambers yesterday. After hearing arguments Justice O'Brien reserved his decision —A sensation has been caused in Ottawa!

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NEW YORK, Feb. 9 .-- The news that the

Secretary of War had awarded the Pneu-

matic Dynamite Gun Company the con tract for seven guns for coast defense was little else than was expected by the officers of the company. The contract calls for three guns for Sandy Hook, two for Ft. Schuler and two for Ft. Warren Mass. As the peculiararities presented by the fifteen-inch gun now mounted at Ft. Lafayette are virtually specified, the guns must be capable of elevation and depression by either pneumatic or hydraulic power, and have an extreme ele-vation of at least 33 degs. They must be capable of an all-round fire, or through 360 degs., the training and elevating to be wholly under the control of the gunner in charge. The range of fire is also specified, the extreme demanded being a mile. Rapidity of fire is also called for being a requirement not demanded in the recent tests of the stationary gun. The delivery of the guns, ready for mounting, must be made within eight months of the time of execution of contract. The sum of money as bid by the Pneumatic Dyna mite Gun Company is \$395,500.

Just where the guns will be built is not yet known. The 15-inch gun at Ft. Lafayette was turned out by the Cramps, of Philadelphia, while the 8-inch gun which destroyed the Silliman was built by an iron firm of Jersey City. The three guns to be mounted at Sandy Hock will consist of one of 8-inch and two of 15-inch call It is not at all unlikely that the 8-inc

and 15-inch guns now at Ft. Lafayette will be mounted there. The 15-inch gun from which the recent tests were made was built with the intention of being mounted at Spezzi, Italy. But the Pneumatic Dynamite Gun Company, having bid for the work of the seven new guns, decided to re-tain this gun for this country until at least it was known that the Government had decided not to adopt dynamite guns for coast defenses. It is coming a well-known fact in militar circles that foreign governments are endeavoring to negotiate for dynamite guns and dynamite croisers with manufacturers in this country. It is known that the Cramps have received offers as high as \$500,000 for the Vesuvius, and this in \$500,000 for the Vesuvius, and this in face of the fact that the United States Government is only paying \$350,000 for her. But the Cramps are not at liberty to negotiate with other governments for the purchase of the Vesuvius inasmuch as nine-tenths of the contract price has already been paid down for her, the re-maining tenth to be paid on the final ac-

ceptance of the vessel. like to sell the Vesuvius elsewhere, inas much as they are known to be out by about \$100,000 on the contract. But all stories to the effect that they are considering offers from foreign governments are absurd, there being no possible chance for the Cramps to avail themselves of any such opportunity before the Secretary of the Navy has declined to accept the ves sel. The Vesuvius having fulfilled all the

mains nothing now but acceptance on the

part of the Government.
The success of the Vesuvius has con tributed to the success of the dynamite gun, inasmuch as vessel and gun appear inseparable. This double success is looked upon by foreign governments as a matter of the very greatest importance and military men in this country fee sure, from the number of emissaries of foreign governments new in this country inquiring into the features of gun and vessel that the Italians, Russians, Span-iards and French will have dynamite guns in their coast defense system before many months have passed. There is, of course, nothing at present to hinder the dynamite gun people from furnishing one thousaft guns to foreign governments, and all that is new to be feared in this country is the possible lethargy of the National representatives to adopt the measures and plans of coast defense re-

commended by the military boards whereby dynamite guns will constitut one of the main features.

Captain E. L. Zalirski, whose name is coupled with the dynamite gun, leaves very soon for Euro, e. ostensibly for pleasure and recreation. It is hard to understand how one so busy as Captain Zalinski can partake of pleasure just at the present time and some believe that his European trip will partake of the nature of Lieutenant Avery's mission to foreign governments to present the foreign governments the foreign government governments the foreign government gove nature of inequenant Avery's mission of foreign go vernments to present the Hotchkiss gun. At any rate, if now looks as if the dynamitt grn is to escape this government and go abroad, as did the Hotchkiss revolving cannon. The awarding of the sea coast guns to the Pneumatic Dynamita Oun Company looks as if more were to follow, and leads to the belief that there cent official trial at Ft. Lafayette was ac cepted by the Government as successful

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price in two and run them for fun a 5c-a half dime, or a nickel a cake-

just as you will have it. 125 Coil Bustles, made from heavy ma-

terial, at 5c a coil.

Bedquilts at 90c, 98c, \$1.10.

24 Sheets, extra heavy, for 10c.

25 No. 4 White Envellopes, 5c.

Tablets, 5c.

Receipt, Order or Note Books, 10c.

Ladies' and Men's Underwear, reduced

Something new, Shampoo Paste. Every family should have a box; only 10c. Razor Steel Shears, just what you need,

S5c, 55c and 65c. 5-bottle Plated Castor, at \$1.18—would

be cheap at \$2.00. Water Set at 98c—pitcher, 5 glasses and

tray. Curtain Poles, 350—never sold for this

money before. 5-4 Table Oil Cloth at 28c per yard.

Bird Seed, 7c per package. 6 Gem Pans, 15c.

Peterated Pie Pans, 5c.

Scrubbing Brushes, 10c. Silverine Dustpan, 15c. Clothes Wingers, \$1.98.

Lamp Burners, 10c. Comb Cases, 10c. Match Safes, 5c, 10c, 15c.

Clothes Racks, 95c up.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, remined by G. O. Chic

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks.

That we are determined to Close Out. Come and be Fitted and Suited, and we will give you the POBE-\$11.25 Feb; \$11.35 Mar; \$11.55 LARD--\$6.75 Feb; \$6.75 Mar; \$6.80

LOWEST PRICES EVER OFFERED YOU. ⊗

We have also made Sweeping REDUCTIONS on all HEAVY WOOL DRESS GOODS, LADIES' CLOTHS, BROAD CLOTHS, WOOL PLAIDS, Etc., Etc.

We have reduced our entire balance of Combination Suits that were \$15, \$18, \$22 and \$25 each, to

YOUR CHOICE FOR \$10.

Swan's Down, Black Fur Trimmings and Gray Fur Trimmings, reduced from 15 to 75c per yard to 10 to 50c per yard. In fact
ALL WINTER GOODS are to be sold at

GREAT SACRIFICE.

We have just received 100 Pieces of even and broken Check Ginghams, of less make. 100 Pieces Merrimac Prints. 25 Pieces of handsome Chintz, fast colors, at 121/c. 50 beautiful Satines at 10 and 14c.

Also a Complete Line of Wide Shirtings, wide Sheetings, Pillow Case Muslins, Cheviots, Denims, Ticks. Canton Flannels, Etc.,

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WANTED-Farms, houses, offices, furnished rooms, etc., etc., to reat or sell. We have the best of facilities, charges moderate. Give us a trial and be convinced, at Rusiness Chance and Real Estate Exchange, No. 221 North Water street. WE CARRY THE ONLY LARGE STOCK OF CLOCKS IN DECATUR AND MAKE THE LOWEST PRICES.

WANTED-Stenographer and Cashier, Case Mand Job Printer, Office Clerk, Book-keeper, Traveling Companion, No. 1 School Teacher, Saleslady, Scamstress, Laundress and Head Cook, at once, at the office of Ladles' Mutual Protective Information Agency, No. 221 North Water street. * W. R. ABBOTT & CO. * WANTED—Three good Cooks, Dining-room Girls, Housekeeper, Pantry Girl, Klichen Girl, Factory Help, etc. No. 1 places now open in Commercial and Domestic departments. Satisfaction guaranteed employer and employer arefund is made if we fall to satisfy. Ludles Pariors, No. 221 N. Water St. 9-d6

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+Grand + Spring + Opening.+

28 houses erected in Fall of '88 Large number of houses to commence in early Spring. NO ADVANCE IN PRICES. Daily application for lots. Make your selection now and join the procession bound for the Boulevards.

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WALTER S. MATHEWS

William G. Beach AND HIS OWN COMPANY, In Shakepeare' Tragedy, in Six Acts,

RICHARD III 20—PEOPLE IN THE CAST.—20

We are receiving something new every day. Our stock will be enlarged this season that will be surprising. We are keeping our eyes open for plunder, and whenever we see a bargain it will be on sale at \$10,000 Worth of Costumes. THE +FAIR

erved Scats on sale at Prescott's musi e days in advance. PRICES-75, 50 AND 26 CENTS. HERRY BROS. make the largest loaves of home made bread of any in the city, bread delivered promptly anywhere it is desired.

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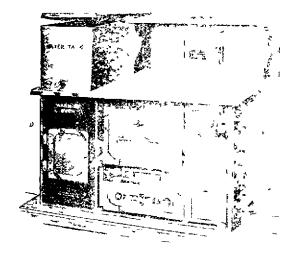
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Our Meat Market was established in 1855thirty-four years ago, on the corner of South Main and Wood streets, where we are still located. The above fact proves conclusively that we have attained marked success in catering to the wants of the public, and should be accepted as a sufficient guarantee for the future We can, as before, supply, ven with the best of ever thing in our im , and only ask for a continuance of the very liberal pat-Tonage heretofore bestowers, being satisfied that we can MEAT all demands made upon us

IMBODEN BROS. CLOSING*OUT*SALE

The wholesale Boot and Shoe inms of Lenns & Lapham of Decatur, and L L Terriss & Co, of Chicago, have been consolidated. The entire business will be transacted at Chicago, Ill, under the firm name of L L Ferriss & Co, as soon as the Decatur business can De closed out We will on Tuesday, January 22d inst, inaugurate A GRAND CLOSING OUT SALE of inaugurate A GRAND CLOSING OUT SALE of Gospel temperance meeting in their rooms in the Library building to-morrow afternoon at 330 o'clock, led by Mr. Evans secretary of Y M. C A All in-FINDINGS, &c., &c that must be sold at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

NOTICE

This Catalogue,

And see if there is not something that you would like to have Pichled Pigs Feet, Pickled Tripe,

Buckwheat Flour. Sauer Kraut, Fraporated Raspberries, Apricots and Prunes

Figs, Dates, Nuts, Cranberries, Cracker Meal, Preserves, Jams and Jellies, Windsor, Mo ha and Java Coffee

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FRESH OYSTERS EVERY MORNING.

DINGES & CLOYD

SATURDAY EVE, FEB 9, 1889

LOCAL NEWS.

Wedding Presents—You can had them at E. D. Bartholomew & Co s S M Inwrv sells pure druge Try the Pansy and Dassy nickel eigers.

'RICHARD III Monday night Count convened last evening with Judge Hughes on the beach.

A MAYOR, city officers and five alder nen are to be elected in April The mercury was at a above zero this

I' D CALDWELL Ł W HEILMAN and family have taken

possession of their new residence at 445 West Main street ALL leading grocers delight to sell Thite Foam flour because they never

have any complaints about it TELEPHONE to Niedermeyer and you

COURT will adjourn this evening until Γeb 18th, when Judge Vail will be on

FOR TWO WPERS ONLY—Life-size Crayon Portraits \$5.00 Water Colors, \$7.00 JAHU DEWITT MILLER the brilliant

and witty orator, next Tuesday night The fourth entertainment of the Lecture You will find White Loaf and Daily

Bread flour hard to beat Signing at J. Lytle & Co's complete grocery store and select family supplies

I resh country butter a specialty SENATOR LEHMAN this week introduced full in the Senate providing that the members of loards of supervisors in

counties under towneship organization be divided into three classes by lot, and that the terms of the respective classes be one two and three years, but the sucessors of members of each class shall all elected to serve three years | This is a good idea as it makes the board a continnone body and brings to bear on its businees an acquaintance with county affairs impossible with the present short term

TRESH country butter and dressed pulltry at Johnson & Spences family

Give Hanks & Patterson, grocers on South Water street a share of your patronage All orders promptly filled and

delivered to my part of the city State Fair

All members of the finance committee are requested to meet this Saturday evening at 7 '() o'clock at Treasurer's Steele's office F M Young, Chm n

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

FIRST M E CRUROH pastor James Viller at 10 30 a m and p m Morning subject, 'Religious Sunshine Trening subject A g sunshine Tvening subject 'A Trans-tional Stage of Bible History" Pre-li mary meeting at 6 30 pm Sab bath School at 2 pm, Levi Towl, supt

Young people's meeting at 630 p m JANES CHAPEL MISSION

Sunday school at 2p m, A. M. Werner, sup* Class meeting at 3 p. m. Preach-ing at "p. m.

TNIVERSALIST CHURCH
hey Sophie Gibb, pastor Services
at 10.30; m and 7 p m Sunday
echool it 9.30 a m Morning subject,
bane and Insine Religionists." Evening The Healing Influence of Religion" All are ordinary invited

Rev. Dr. Geo. B. Vosburgh. pastor, preaches at 10.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Moraing sub-ect. A. Deliberate and Decided. Choice. Examing subject, 'A. Woman's Priver. Baptiems at the close of evening service. Sunday School at 9 a.m. W. J. Wayne, supt. The public is condably invited.

cordially invited FIRST PRESETTERIAN CHURCH Services at 10 30 a m and 7 p m by the pastor Sunday school at 2 p m Mission Sunday school, 2 p m, corner of N College and Packard Sts

STAFF S CHAPEL W E. CHURCH STAFF S CHAPEL W. E. CHURCH
Class at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10 30
a m and 7 15 p. m., by the pastor. Morning subject. The glory of soul-saving,
vening, "The most daring robbery." The vening, "The most daring robbery." The evening sermon will be followed by altar exercises Sunday School at 2 p m Young people's meeting at 630 p m. Mission Sunday school, corner of North Broadway and Herkimer streets at 9

the paster Rev Chas Manchester will preach at 10 30 a m on 'God's Sor-ereignty, and at 7 p m on 'God's Grace 1 cordial welcome to all, espe-

CONGREGATIONAL CONGREGATIONAL
Services in the Library building (W
C i U hall) at 10 30 a. m and 7 p m
Rev Wychoff of Chicago, will preach
morning and evening Sunday School
at 12 m All cordially invited

ST PETER'S CHAPEL (SPRING AVE.)
C H Sheen pastor Preaching at 10 30
a m and 7 30 p m Morning subject,
'Fellowship with lesus' Evening, 'God Glorified with his Servants' Sunday School at 2 30 p m

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Preaching by the pastor, T W Pinkerton at 10 30 a m, and 7 p m Sunday school at 2 p m, J E. Patterson, Supt Baptism at the close of the evening service. All are cordially invited A CL L

Rev. M M Goodwin, Rector Celebration of Holy Communion at 8 30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10 30 a. m. Sunday School at 9 30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 p m.

GRACE MISSION. Evening p ayer and sermon by Rev.
M M Goods n at 3 p m

HE GOT THREE YEARS. Gus. Housman and the Story of His Matrimonial Ventures.

Augustus A. Housman, the versatile young man of 35, with glittering black eyes and heavy black mustache, was on trial before Judge Hughes and a jury m the circuit court to-day on a charge of bigamy, which if established will send the defendant to Johiet for a term of years. The complainant is the latest confiding victim, Anna R. Sanders, daughter of Mrs. Eliza McKinney. The prosecution is conducted by State's Attorney Mills and A. H. Mills, and Attorney J H. McCoy appears for the defenif Peoris failed, Decatur should be secdant The witnesses for the prosecution were the complainant, Miss Sanders, to promise anything, not being author-Eliza McKinney, W. J McKinney, Mr ized to do so. Ten Peorians were at and Mrs. Elijah Linthicum, uncle and Springfield this week, and the Journal aunt of the defendant, Constable Dillesaid "They desire to join hands with hunt, and Harvey Bechtel, of Aspinwall, Springfield on the state fair location, and Iowa, who came here to appear against see if the two cities cannot secure the fair to be held permanently at Peons one The story of Housmans varied matmontal experience is somewhat in | year and Springfield the next Peoria eresting, especially to all parties impliwas strongly against this city two years ago. It is hard to guess what the com-

cated in his ventures. In 1879 he marned a Miss Windhurst at Grinnell, Iowa. To the comple was born a son, now about three years old Housman deserted his wife and on Dec 20 1884, she secured a divorce from him at Atlantic City, Cass county, Iowa Housman did not pine sway with grief over the separation, and or Dec 25, '85, at Aspinwali, Iowa, he wedded Miss Melvina Her, Justice O'Malley performing the ceremony Life with his second wife could not have been a daily delight to the inconstant Gus, for along in 1887 he left Melvina and came to Decatur Here he lived with his parents and became acquainted with Miss Anna R Sanders, to whom he was united in marriage on Sunday, July 3, 1887, by Rev George Stevens, then pastor of Stapp's Chapel, now Methodist presiding elder for the Bloomington district Gus told Anna he was a pachinist by occupation and they went to housekeeping. It was apparently a happy march, and Anna was entirely gnorant that Gus had a wife living out in Iowa Gua went to work for John Grass laving brick to the street, and when the chill of winter came, he became meer in his conduct. One morning early in December, 1887, he left his home and said he might be gone several days A month passed and he did not return This conduct was singular and finally it same out that Gus had another wife in Iowa who was about to swoop down upon him Probably this fact caused himself to flee from his last victim. During the summer of 1888 Mrs Housman, No 2, arrived from Iowa She searcned for Gus and found him She lived with him until November, and then went back to Iowa, where she now lives 'The indis-putable evidence that Housman had com-

jail He was indicted by the grand jury and to-day the story of his matrimonial ventures was laid bare to the court and Attorney McCoy had no good defense for his chent, but tried hard to have the letters of the first marriage and the Iowa record of the second marriage excluded In this he failed, as he was confronted with a copy of the Iowa statute which

nitted bigamy caused a warrant to be issued for his apprehension, and on Dec B, 1888, he was arrested by Constable Dil

ehunt and in default of ball fixed by Jus-

tice Curtie he was lodged in the county

here last night by A. H. Mills THE VERDICT The mry was given the case without argument and they found Housman guilty of bigamy as chargad, fixing his imprisonment in the penitentiary at three years, and to pay a fine of \$100 and the

was procured at Springfield and brought

costa of prosecution Gus will not bother any more fomiles until the fall of 1891

The People's Augustus A Housman big my

Trial by jury COMMON 1 /M DOCPLA I W Fhrm in appeliant, vs Lowber Burrows administrator, we appeal field by court Judgment for defendants

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fendants in cross bill. Referred to master on L M Gill va I N Gill et il chancery Re

uls appear to enjoy the meetings port of sale approved and order of distribution The department for the suppression of naenteren Stilcken cotics has been adopted, owing to the alarming use of topacco and morphine. Mrs R J Sny der was made superintendent of this depar-

were reported

department

to that institution

PERSONAL MENITON

Senator Johns arrived from Spring field last evening C W Pringle has mailed us a handome colored map of Portland, Oregon

Mrs Sedgwick and Miss Harriet How eil are in Chicago to day

Manager Haines left list night for Brad DuBois, one of the mining princes of Leadville, Colo, is a late arrival at the St. Nicholas

A D. Abbott, of Bine Mound, and Miss Alice Edwards were married this week at Taylorville by Elder Weeden.

James E March, of Chicago, is at the New Deming Mr M was formerly a resident of Moawequa

Miss Emma Mauer, of Springfield, who has been the guest of Miss Emelie Denz, left for her home last evening 18 a great card, and with the bad boy and grocer, is the life of the show. Her vocal The Misses Fuller bave returned from

Springfield, where they visited their their aunt, Mrs. M J Stadden Mr. Dave Shanks, of Dixon, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm Newman, and his niece, Mrs. Harry Ricketts.

Mrs W A. Shepherd, of Dubuque, wife of Manager Shepherd, of the Eusiness Men's Exchange, has been here visiting are all pleased to learn of her success on

J. B Crippen, of 1111 East Prame street, has had a cabinet photograph taken of his bright little twin daughters, now 10 months old Miss Caroline Pickus, who arrived

three weeks ago from Germany, and Karl Oberovski, of Decatur, procured a marmage license to-day Bennie Ditzler, who has been confine

to his home since November with a cough, has grown much worse the last few days at his home on East North Michael Troutman and G. C. Caldwell

returned from Moultrie county last evening. Mr. C bought 107 head of young steers from Mr T and had them driven to his farm near Mattoon. The steers averaged 935 pounds in weight and were Moore Bro's stole in Opera Block. purchased at 3 cents a pound J. M. Bower has returned from a successful business trip to Terre Haute, The proposed city directory will appear

sold cheap during the present month

as promised early in the spring, and will have all of the improved features hereto-fore described. It will be published by You can never tell what a slight cold Ebel, Bower & Co. may do; it is best, therefore, to give yourself the benefit of the doubt, and cure it Mercury falling has nothing to do with the daily arrival of New Spring Goods at Abel's Carpet Store Carpets, Wall Paper, Rugs, Mate and Curtains in all the new styles and colorings, will be as soon as possible with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. A day's delay, sometimes an kour's delay, may result in serious conse-

Bors' Jersey State at Stane's.

State Fair Meeting To-Right. There will be a meeting of the state fair fund finance committee at the county treasurer's office this evening at 730

to get the state fair is sending her com

made to a Decatur citizen in Peoria for

Decatur and Peoria to work together for

the fair, the suggestion being made that

ond cheice. The Decatur man refused

bined effort of the two interests in the

proposed direction would result in now.'

This is all very clever, isn't it? But it

will hardly amount to anything. With

Peoria and Springfield fighting, Deca-

Dawson in Jail.

John B. Dawson, the scheming colored

visitor who vainly tried to hoo-doo several

of our citizens out of com of the realm

sufficient to pay his way to Springfield

(and considerably more if he could have

succeeded), is now languishing in a lone-

some cell m the first ward station house

Curran and Butts last night. This fore-

come to Decatur on a spree and was

without money. His fairy stories about

being robbed of \$40 near the depot have

no foundation except in his fruitful im-

agination. It is said he did get some

forthwith used part of it in exchange for

forked lightning in liquid form. Doubt-

less the arrest of Dawson will teach him

to depart in peace with the admonition

to keep sober and let up in his efforts to

scheme bearing the suspicion of false

Thanks.

The committee to solicit state fair sub

scriptions in the first district desire to

the business men for their liberal dona-

to the first district has all been sub-

In the reference to the Goodman Band

was made of the prominent part Mr. Leo

was not intended, as the Republican, be

it known, looks upon Leo as the brightest

musician of his age in the west. In the

second part of the concert Mr. Heilbrun,

with Miss Schroeder as accompanist, gave

a violin solo, which for entrancing melody

and perfection of execution was incom-

parable. He won a well deserved recall

W. C. T. U. Work.

Reports of work during the past month were presented by the various officers at last. Thurs

day's meeting
The superintendent of literature had distrib

Committee on jail work reported three visits

It having been decided to resume the course

of reading prepared by leading women of the

Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Mrs. N

E Adams was chosen superintendent of that

M13 J E Saxton was appointed superintend

ent of the Loyal Temperance Legion, which

meets every Saturday at 2 p m in the Union

coms in the Library building. New members

book entitled '(dimpses of Flift kears This being an autobiography of one of the greatest of

nomen as well as a history of the temperance

work in this country, will be a most interestin

and instructive volume Surt Press Work

THE audience at the opera house las

night witnessed a lively rendition of the

with delight Everybody appeared to be

fortune. The appearance of Miss Marie

Heath, as the girlish soubrette, was espe-

cially interesting, as she was formerly a

resident music teacher of Decatus. She

specialties were captivating in the ex-

treme, while her haracter recitation.

'Listen to My Tale of Woe," was a per-

fect gem. Miss Heath met many of her

Decatur friends while in the city. They

A Celebration.

On Thursday, the 14th inst., the Afri-

can M. E. churches throughout the

United States will celebrate the birthday

of Richard Allen, the founder and first

bishop of that church, A grand enter-

tainment will be given by the church in

this city in commemoration of the event,

on the evening of that day, when ad-

dresses will be delivered and essays read

on the rise and progress of the church.

Appropriate pieces will be rendered by choir. Committee—J W. Woodford, I. R. Rogan, Edward Gray, Mary Earnest and Bridge Multon.

THE best of California fruits, country

butter and good groceries every day at

and Birdie Miller.

the stage

W. H. STABR W. P. SHADE.

tur's chances grow brighter

Sheriff Mauzy and son Joe got back last night from Johet, where they safely delivered Westbrook and three other convicts to the warden of the penitentiary. They did not linger at Johnt long The soliciting committees are doing well, and will furnish the money to bid enough to learn the occupation to which for the state fair. D. A. Maffit and W. Westbrook was assigned. They visited H Starr, chairmen of two districts, re-Chicago, were there four hours, and came port good progress, though they experihome by the shortest route. On the way up Dawson, the burglar, tried to pick his enced hard work in getting the pledges. It seems that Peoris in her scheming hand-cuffs with a piece of wire, but of course made a failure. It was learned at Johnt that Dawson had just finished mittees over the state trying to make term of five years in the Iowa peniten trades. Not long since an offer was

tiary before his arrest in Decatur.

Home from Joliet.

Mound and vicinity. A few, however still insist that Westbrook should have been hung, while another few think th verdict should have been acquittal. There was the usual large attendance and interest at the Christian church last night when Elder Pinkerton preached

THE verdict of the jury in the W. E.

Westbrook case meets with the approval

of a majority of the people in Blue

convincing sermon from Prov. 2:26. The singing at this church is excellent D. L. Moody, the well-known evangel ist, will begin a series of training school meetings at Chicago on April 4th for th instruction of christian workers, bringing

them face to face with the masses who have renounced, or are ignorant of the gospel No charges except for board and lodging Address F. G. Ensign, 154 Madison street, Chicago, giving full name, occupation, church relationship

and place of residence.

O'Neill's "Monte Cristo." The Nashville American pays James O'Neill, his play and troupe the following compliment, "Monte Cristo" will be given at the opera house next Thursday

into which he was thrust by Officers In every part and at every point the production of Dumas' 'Monte Cristo,' as dramatized by Charles Feet ter and acted by James O'Neill, was a remarkable success' So much he agen eral sense for a noble drama grandly acted, splendidly costumed and staged with all the wealth of scenic and decornitre art, the dramatic resources of the brilliant young star. James O Neill, in a range of aethig which embraced the full scope of his elecutionary powers, sounding as it were, the gamut of human passions in his scenes of youthful happiness, his iterrible suffering and his ultimate triumph, when, with the prospect of untold wealth, he shricks out aim dhe roar of the seething waters, "The world is mine 'Its magnificent scenery, electric lights and stage mechanism, and the no less to-be orated splendid costumed aids-these, added to a company of ladies and gentlemen well worthy of the play, the star and the stage, leave but little more to be said. Mr. O Neill kept his hearers wrapt in attention as the outspoken sallor boy, afterward the uniterable prisoner of eighteen years, and then as the cottspoken sallor boy, afterward the uniterable cool and determined possessor of the breasure of Monte Cristo—with vengeance his only aim. The naturalness of his calm demeanor or the outbursts of his passion keeps the audience swayed from administration to awe. His interpretation of the character is truly grand. noon Marshal Mason put Dawson into the "awest box." and soon learned that ! his home is in Chicago, and that he had money out of one gullible citizen, and a useful lesson. He may be permitted gather in American dollars by any

Last night Miss Laura Ebert was pleasantly surprised at her home on West Marietta street by a party of return their thanks to the majority of friends Drive whist was the amusemen of the evening Those present were Misses Alice Imboden, Ada and Clara tions to the fund. The amount allotted Libert, Anna Cox, Della Harrauff, Minnie Dill, Minnie Bachman, Cora Renshaw Jessie Ferguson, Nettie Gay, Anna Litterer, Kittle Sears, Gertie Morrison, and Messre James, Sherman and Frank concert in last evening's issue no mention Riggs Mel Musser, Breck Irwin, Will Bachman, Creight Webb, Will Hill, Will Martin, Ed Dimock, Will Morrison, Elmer Groves, W. N. Thilmony, Ott and Bob Mueller Heilbrun took in contributing to the success of the entertainment. This was an mercusable oversight, which of course

Sales of Real Estate. Wm. L. Cooper to Samuel Potter, five acres off the east aide of lot 8, of Crocker's addition to Maroa-\$675.

Patrick Casey to Mary I. Payne, 40x135 feet, in block 3, Adamson & Prather's addition-\$450.

"Richard III."

Wulter Mathews, the young tragedian who will personate the above character at the Opera House Monday evening, Feb 11, is an actor of great promise The Louisville Post in speaking of his The superintendent of mothers anceting a reported an interesting meeting held in the first wird list Wednesday.

That y we subscribers to the Union Signal and he gives promise of identifying himself with it as Keene has done Market and the subscribers to the Union Signal and he gives promise of identifying himself with it as Keene has done Market and the subscribers to the Union Signal and the subscribe Mathews gives evidence of careful train ing and much study in the part He was called out after each act and after the curtain had gone down on the third he was presented with a large floral design of a hogshead of tobacco bearing the inscription, "Walter Mathews, from his

THOSE Haines and Everett pianes or sale only at Prescott's music store cannot are entoled at each meeting and the boys and | be excelled for beauty and tone | Prices

MARRIED.

At the M. L. parsonage in Blue Mound at q p. m., February 8th, Mr. Fred. Wood and Miss Nora Dickerson, Rev. Mr. Willard, paster of the M. L. church officialting.

The wedding was conducted very quietly, only The Union will sell Frances Willard's new

i few friends of the contracting parties being present to witness the ceremony The groom is a son of Rev C G Wood a former pastor o the M F church, and is cashier in J. M Brown back & Co s bank The bride is the younges daughter of Mrs Zerilda Dickerson, a respects ble lady of this village

On Tuesday evening January 22 by the Rev Father Doan, of the Church of the lumaculate Conception, of Oakland, Alexander G Doeke, of St Louis, Mo, and Miss Ratheryn Louise Mc Donald, of Decaur, Ill The newly married couple will reside in Cantornia for the present Morning Times Unklond, Cal., Jan 27 "Peck's Bad Boy" comedy, given by the Atkinson company Master Fleming's pranks in the grocery store and at the pienic made the children fairly scream Mr and Mrs Deeke will reside at Irave Cal, where Mr Decke has a position as book having fun with Jerry McAuliff, the Gerkeeper Mra M L McDonald will reside with man grocer, whose voice is his greatest them. She has removed her household goods t

Clarence Vaugha, son of Rev J W Boggess, died February sth, of measies, at the family residence on North Broadway, aged eight months and twelve day? The funeral will be held Sunday morning at 10 30 o clock from the U B church

"IF a woman will, she will." If she will take Dr Bull's Cough Syrup for her old, she will be cured.

Take good advice.—I have suffered with bad headaches for years, and have tried many remedies without obtaining relief. I was advised to give Salvation Oil a trial, and it has entirely cured me. EDWARD BALTZ, (Butcher,) LaFayette Market, Baltimore, Md

THE recent judicial ruling upon the question. When is a man drunk? is "When consciousness becomes modified in any degree whatever through the infinence of alcohol, and when, or as long as, no exercise of independent nervous force is adequate to restore it to a normal state, the man so affected as drunk. This settles it. Every police justice or 'squire should paste this up in his office. so there would be no further danger of fining men for intoxication who had not been guilty of that offense.

A spring medicine is needed by every PERSONS desiring any kind of carpenter work can have it promptly attended to by calling at 145 South Water street. Contract a specialty. J. W. HINDMAN. one Winter food, largely consisting of salt meat and animal fat, causes the liver to become disordered and the blood impure, hence the necessity of a cleansing medicine. The best is Ayer's Sarsapa

TRY a load of that clean soft nut coal sold by F B. Caldwell at \$1.75 per ton, dec13-dtf

greatly reduced in price at

NEW SPRING GOODS

FOR 1889.

We shall have a Grand Opening on Feb. 4, of the LATEST NOVELTIES and most beautiful effects in

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+FRENCH SATEENS+

Of our own Importations, at least 20 PERCENT. BELOW the regular place for goods of same quality: and, as these particular styles and makes are confined to us, they will not lose their attractiveness by becoming too common

----We shall also offer for sale----

2,000 YDS. BLACK RHADAME, Of recent purchase, at \$1.25-worth \$1.75, of splendid

value, and warranted to wear Also, 1,000 yds COLORED SURAHS, all Silk, at 44c—very handsome

We are also prepared to show Large Assortments of New Designs in HAMBURG EMBROIDERIES, Hand-Run Chantilly, Spanish Guipure, Valencienne and Swiss Flouncings, with narrow widths to match; Torchon, Medici, Florentine Laces; Lace Aprons, Lace Caps, Lace Bibs, Dress Ginghams, in handsome styles; all kinds Printed Goods for Shirting and

A handsome assortment of JERSEY UNDERWEAR for Ladies, in White, Ecru and Colors.

Shut Waists.

Just Received, a shipment of ELEGANT BEADED WRAPS AND DRESS TRIMMINGS, in the Latest French Novelties.

JUST OPEN, New Spring Styles in Body Brussels, Tapestries, Velvets, Ingrain and Wilton Velvet

--CARPETS.-

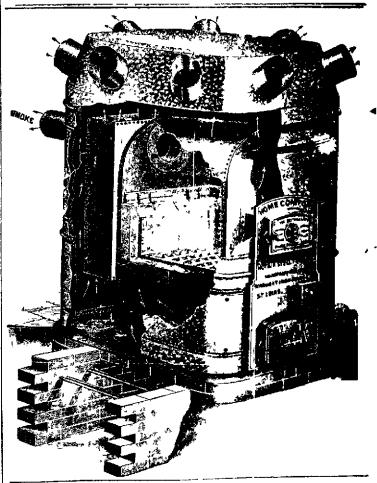
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Wrought Steel, Malleable Iron, Very Little Fuel, No Leaky Joints. No one can say that the time was not ripe to

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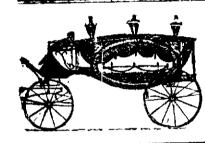
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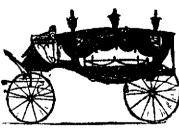


and fiercely attacked the other Dog IT ALWAYS PAYS to

hold on to a good thing. People who have tried Santa Claus Soap hold on to it because it is good. Some may think that because there are

other Soaps that give more in bulk for the money, that they are cheaper; but such bulk is made up with rosin. When quality is sacrificed for quantity, such soap is not cheap at any price. Santa Claus Soap is the best, and is sold by all grocers. It is made only by N. K. FAIRBANK & CO., Chicago, III.

J. B. BULLARD, FUNERAL DIRECTOR,



THE MODEL * * * * * * * * * * * CLOTHING HOUSE.

WE ARE SELLING

ALL WINTER GOODS AT COST.

The only way to be convinced is to call and see for yourselves.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS In Great Variety.

Our \$1.75 RED FLANNEL SUITS can't be beat in the city.

COHEN & ROSENBLOOM,

Knode & Osborne's Old Stand, 123 North Water Street,

FOREIGN NEWS.

Indianapolis, Feb. 8.-The convention

quarters concerning the scale adopted Wednesday night, it is here repeated; Hocking Valley, 69 cents; Pittsburgh, 69; Reynoldsville, 65; Indiana block, 80; Indiana bluminous, 65.

After the adjournment the Ohio and

Pennsylvania miners and operators met and passed resolutions condemning the discrimination of the Northwestern rail-way in favor of certain Illinois operators and the decision of Judge Cooley sustain-

ing this discrimination, and recommend-ing all the operators in this district to proceed against the Illinois coal fields as

was resumed yesterday morning. Nearly

lish the charges.
When the prosecution rested, Attorney

On Strict Party Lines.

Republicans' protest against the Demo-cratic action in refusing to announce the vote for Governor was voted down by the

Democrats who refused to allow it to ap-pear on the journal, when the Repub-

licans immediately arose and left the hall, leaving the Democrats without a quorum. However the Democrats pro-

eeded to open the vote and publish in for

other State officers.
No returns for Attorney-General were

found from Webster County and an in-accuracy was found in the vote from Wood County, no return having been

made of the vote for the Republican can-

didate for auditor.

No Mercury,

Or any other Mineral Poison.

It is Nature's Remedy, made exclusively from Roots and Herbs.

It is perfectly Harmiess.

It is the only remedy known to the world that has ever yet Cured contagious Blood Potson in all its singer.

It cures Mercurial Rhemmatism, Cancer, Scrotula, and other blood diseases heretofors considered incurable. It cures any disease caused from impure blood. It is now prescribed by thousands of the best physicians in the United States, as a tonic. We append the statement of a few:

"Thave used S S. S. on patients convalescing from faver and from measles with the best results.

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RICHMOND, VA., Dec. 15, 1885.—I have taken three bottles of swift's Specific for secondary blood poison. It acts much between need.

B. F. Wixpund, M. D.

Formerly of Sussex Co., Va.

Du. F. J. Hall, the well-known drugsist and have dear any electant of Nashville. Howard County.

No Potash.

of miners and operators adjourned yes-terday afternoon to meet in Columbus, O., the second Tuesday in March. The session yesterday was devoted mainly to English Imports and Exports discussing certain mining legislation now Still After O'Brien-The pending before the Indiana Legislature.

As there is misapprehension in some Beauty of Napies.

The Cardinals and the Dead Prince-Riots Imminent-The Ching-Klang-Foo Mob.

Modified Demands-Empress Frederick's Windfall-England Consents

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS. LONDON, Feb. 8 .- The returns of the Board of Trade show that during the last

month the imports increased £32,200,000 and the exports £1,300,000, as compared with January, 1888.

THE TIMES SEES IT.

London, Feb. 8.—The Times sees in the passage of the Nicaragua Canal bill proof of the extension of the movement to establish an understanding between be United States and the Central and outh American States.

Ireland.

DUBLIN, Feb. 8.—Summons has been served upon Mr. Wm. O'Brien, who is now in Clonmel jail, for the speech which he made at Kenmare.

THE BEAUTY OF NAPLES NAFLES, Feb. 8.—Mr. Gladstone visited many points of interest in this city, and exclaimed that it was like leaving part of heart and mind to depart from so beauti-

IT WAS A DUEL, THEN. LONDON, Feb. 8.—The Daily News' Rome dispatch states that a conclave of Cardinals has decided that Prince Rudolph must have been insane when he agreed to a duel, and was, therefore, entitled to re-

RIOTS BEARED.

ROME, Feb. 8.—It is feared that riots by unemployed workmen are imminent. The Socialist propaganda is very active.

THE CHING-KIANG-FOO MOB. SHANGHAI, Feb. 8.—The whole foreign population of Ching-Kiang-Foo except a few officials have fied here for safety. The American chapel which was set outside the conceded limits is among the build-ings destroyed by the mob.

Zanzibar.

MODIFIED DEMANDS.

ZANKIBAR, Feb. 8.—The insurgents have reduced their demands to seven thousand rupees, and the exchange of three Arab slave dealers captured by the Germans for missionaries held by the natives.

EMPRESS FREDERIUK'S WINDFALL. London, Feb. 8.--It is announced that the Duchess Galliera bequeaths the Em-press Frederick all her pearls and processures, in addition to the large ums of money already announced.

Germany. ENGLAND CONSENTS.

LONDON, Feb. 8 .-- The Standard's Berlin dispatch says it is understood that Engiand conseats to renew the Samoan triple conference. The meetings are not xpected to begin for some time yet.

Foreign Notes. Count William Busnarck has been appointed President of the Province of Handeer Mr. Thomas J. Condon, Member of Parilament for East Tipperary, was sentenced yesterday to two months' imprisonment on the charge of inciting to boycotting. An appeal was taken, and Mr. Condon was released on

The Budget committee of the German Dist has adopted the bill increasing the Emperor's donation. Herr Virchow and Richter dissented from the action of the committee.

From the action of the committee.

Emperor Francis Joseph has issued an orderof-the-day thanking the army and navy for
their loyalty and for the sympathy shown by
them for him on the occasion of the death of
Crown Prince Rudolph.

Crown Prince Ruttorph.

Ruhn, the Swiss, who is charged with having murdered a man in Wisconsin, and who was arrested on the stoumer Lord Gough at Queens town some weeks ago, has been handed over to the United States Government, and in custody of an officer he salled from Queenstown for New York on the steamer Britannic yesterday Father Covenry, of Dunmanway, has sent a elegram to the firsh Times, in which he posi-ively denies that in addressing a meeting a Skibbereen he said that the people murdered by the police at Youghal, Middleton and Mirchellstown had now "been avenged at Gweedore," and that he "boped Almighty God ould strengthen the hand that murdered Po

A Scrap of Paper Saves Her Life.

It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper, but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time; she weighed less than seventy pounds. On a piece of wrapping paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery, and got a sample bottle; it helped her, she bought a large bottle, it helped her more, bought another and grew better fast, continued its use and is now strong, healthy, rosy, weighing 140 pounds. Fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, Druggist, Fort Smith, Texas. Trial bottles of this wonderful Discovery Free at J. A. Swearin-A Scrap of Paper Saves Her Life. derful Discovery Free at J. A. Swearingen's Drug Store.

Pay Your Taxes.

ine, and as the time and is short, all persons knowing them same is short, all persons knowing them selves indebted for taxes are requested to call at my office, (with Mills Bros.,) over the store of Linn & Scruggs, and make payment of the same. Office hours from payment of the same. Office hours from Cansry and pink diamonds, pink, gray and black pearls, sapphires, opals, rubies and fine garments.

Barber & Baker to Retirefrom the Shoe Business.

As we have decided to retire from the shoe business, we have concluded to offer our entire stock of Boots, Shoes and Rubers at cost and less than cost, as we leaire to close it out as soon as possible Come and secure bargains while the stock is complete.

BARBER & BAKER. Jan22-diwt

The Decatur Musical College Will give instructions in piano, organ, viclin, vocal culture, hermony and theory, gnitar, banjo, mandolin, harp and zither; also in French, German, Italian and Spanish. An able corps of instructors engaged at all times. For full information call at the college, corner Main and William streets, or address

Feb 5-dtf Olof Bull.

Still Another Lot of

NEW CLOAKS, one-third less in price than early Fall Prices, and 20 per cent, cheaper than was ever sold. LANN & SCHUGGS.

MOREHOUSE, WELLS & Co. are constantly receiving new patterns, in Wood. Iron and Slate Mantels, Vestibule and Hearth Tiles, Fine Brass Fenders, Fire Sets, and everything pertaining to this one. No larger or more complete assortment can be found elsewhere daw

Come and Look at Them. 15000 yards French Sateens, handsome as silks, of our own importation, just LINN & SCHUGGS.

ANYONE in search of a first-class cooking apparatus can find what they want in the "Home Comfort" Range sold by Morehouse, Wells & Co. One of the best housekeepers in the city says: "We did not know what home comfort was until worth of these comfort was until we got a 'Home Comfort' range in the house." n30-tf

Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps, from Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Leb-man's. feb 16-d&wtf Lnin & Scauces have reduced prices on Corsets. dawtf Hendache, Teothache, Ezrache, MEURALCIA, SORE THROAT, Gaizrin, Croop, Frost Bites, Sere Hippies, Caked Breath, Lame Back Sold by Druggists. 50c. and \$1.00. MANGLIN'S ELOOD AND LIVER PILLS Best in the World. Try Them. 25c.

FOR RENT. FOR SALE. WANTED. &c The Charges Against Dr. Maharnete.
Pittsbungh, Pa., Feb. 8.—The investigation into the charges preferred by
James McPhillamy, a prisoner, against
Dr. Maharneke, the suspended hospital
steward at the Riverside penitentiary,
was resumed vesterday morning. Nearly

TO RENT-Faur acres of land, house and barn, one mile north of Decatur. Apply to M.BERT EARNEST, 315 West Mariotta Street febs.31*

TOR SALE—Twelve to fourteen tons of hay, two miles northwest of postoffice. Inquire of F. T. SEELY, or L. R. Provost. 5-46*

L. CROSTHWAIT, Teacher of Singing and Eloculton. W. C. T. U. ROOMS, Roberts & Greene Building. Chores Class, Taesday evening; Sight Singing Class, Thursday evening, both at 7:30; Elocution Class, Tuesdays and Fridays, 3:30 p. m. Private lessons in Elocution and Voice Culture at any time. PARRETT, at 704 N. Church Street, will repair your house, fence, build your porch, or do anything in the line of carpentering. Good work at all times with promptness.

WANTED—You are wanted to call and buy Second-hand Cooking and Heating Stores. A large assortment at low prices. HARRY FISK, Court House Block. oct24-dtf

TOR SALE—A second-hand stove, almost as good as new, for half price, at the Furnitare Exchange, one door east of BACHMAN BROS., at 48 East Main Street.

WANTED—Agents at the "Histuntisuited" Art Studio. 315.00 per week and expenses paid to the right party. (all or address "listuntisuited" Art Studio Decatur, Ill. marsh-dewif

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts, ments, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent. interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, over New ork Store. July 1848;wif

FOR SALE.

Report of Attendance at Decatur Public

J 19PER STRRET SCHOOL. Clara Eyman Lena B. Jones Margaret McGorray Jessie Spencer Christina Sanderson. Sarah E. Sanderson. MARIETTA STREET SCHOOL Lucy H. Montgomery. Nellie I. Hendricks

Fashions in Jewelry. Jewelers' Circular

The jeweled combs of amber and shell, so often described, continue to find a place in fashionable hair dressing.

ou knowingly. For sale by all druggists.

Studs are generally worn with evening Stude are generally worn with evening dress. Elderly men, and, indeed, others if they choose, may wear the white enameled ones. Small but fine diamonds are fashionable in studs; so are pearls. Black pearls, when fine, are highly es-teemed among men, not only when set singly in stude, but mounted on sear Silveremithe have succeeded in reviving

Silveremithe have succeeded in reviving the demand for silver ornamentations in various directions. Silver is not only more extensively employed for dinner and tea ware than formerly, but such things as frames of boxes and mirrors, borders of toilet tables, caskets, small clocks, calendar frames and the like, are now of this pregious metal. now of this precious metal.

Finger rings for both sexes are on the The taxes for the year 1888 are now high wave of popularity, and there is a due, and as the time for collecting the same is short, all persons knowing them-

Special to Gas Consumers. When any of our customers are annoyed with "poor light," which they suppose comes from "poor gas," they should notify the company at the office, 124 North Water street, (Warren & Durfee,) when

prompt inspection will be made to ascertain the cause, so that the remedy may The difficulty in every instance will be found in an OBSTRUCTED PRESSURE, either in the pipes or burners, as the gas itself is under constant photometric test, and is furnished to the consumer at full stanard candle power; hence it is the desire of the company that every consumer shall have the benefit of the fact without hindrance. J. K. WARREN, Pres't,

dec12-d3m Decatur Gaslight & Coke Co GENTS' Furnishing Goods, comprising Underwear,

Hose,
Dress and Night Shirte,
Handkerchiefs,
Mufflers, and an elegant Assortment of Scarts.

Prices always the lowest.
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THE Court House Restaurant has been greatly enlarged and improved. The best of day board and good rooms. Rates as low as decent accommodations can be

street. Accommodations good and rooms first class. Meals 25 cents, lodging 25 cents. Please give me a call. E. E. WILLIS, proprietor.

For all kinds of bread, pies, cakes and rolls, go to the bakery of Aungst & Dowling, 533 North Morgan street. None better in the city. THE Bluegress Shop will repaint your carriage or wagon cheaper than elsewhere. Remember this. Repairing promptly done. March 8-dawtf

RHEUMATISM EONO BOOK MAILED FREE. Address WIZARD OIL CO., CHICAGO.

O ABINET PHOTOGRAPHS at the East End Gallery at \$1.00 and \$2.00 per dezen. Roual 6-16* GEO. HENDERSON.

the entire afternoon was occupied in hearing the closing testimony of the prosecution. Dr. Maharneke cross-examined the witnesses. No festimony was offered other than to more firmly estab-ON monthly payments—Family Bibles, English, Catholic and German, Albums, Ol Falutings, Clocks (warranted 5 years), Rogers & Sherman, Lace Curtains, &c. Call on or address J. N. HALL, Willis Hotel, City. B. C. Christy was granted the privilege of cross-examining witnesses for McPhil-

on the stand until Attorney Christy with-drew from the case. Dr. Maharneke then took the stand and emphatically denied all of the charges made against him. POTATOES—I have 500 bushels of Early Ros and Burbank Potatoes, in good condition I will sell cheap in lots to sult purchasers. No. 284 West Cerro Gordo Street. THOS. SLY. jan5-d6 CHARLESTON, W. Na., Feb. 8.—Yester-day afternoon in the joint assembly the

N. ZIMMERMAN, Proprietor, No. 233 Nort ater Street. The best \$1.00 a day house i catur. Board and lodging; also table boar

Choice Residence Property

My late residence at 319 South Broadway is offered for sale on easy terms. The lot is 100x150 feet, house of inne rooms, with as man, closets, all well finished and in good repair Well with new pump, clatern with pump in kitchen, good cellar, barn and carriage house some fruit on lot and elegant shade trees.

Jawit J. R. MOSSER.

WEEKLY SCHOOL REPORT.

JONES' SCHOOL, 21 Kate Alkin...

READ Linn & Scrugge' new advertise ment in which they call attention to the latest French Novelties and most beautifol goods of the season.

Chancery Notice. STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88. In the circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1889

David E. Mixell vs. Emma Mixell—In Chancery.
Afhidavit of the non-residence in this state of
said Emma Dixell, the defendant in the above
entitled cause, having been filed in the office of
the Clerk of the circuit court of asid county,
Notire is hereby given to the said Emma Mixel
that the above named complainant heretofore
filed his bil of complaint in said court, on the
chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending; and that a surmons thereupon issued out. filed his bill of complaint in said court, of machancery side thereof, which suit is still pending; and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the next June term of said court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in the month of June, A. D. 1888.

Now, unless you, the said Emma Mixell, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof. prayer thereof.
Dated Docatur, Ill., January 7, 1889.
E. McCLELLAN, Clork.
B. 1. STERRETT, Sol. for Complainant.
jan8-diw

Redemption Notice. o J. Pennewell and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter de

Scribed:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Hinois, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1888, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit. Lot 8, block 2, in Durfee, Warren & Co.'s addition to the city of Decatur; also lot 9, block 2, in Durfee, Warren & Co.'s addition to city of Decatur, taxed in the name of J. Pennewell, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1889.

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Redemption Notice. Fo F. H. Kiser and the owners and parties in terested in the lands or lots hereinafter de scribed:

scribed:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1886, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 7, block 4, in the village of Niantic, taxed in the name of F. H. Kiser, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1889, feb8-day Redemption Notice.

To N. S. Runnell and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter de scribed:

Scribed:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state to fillinois, on the 17th day of Macon and state to fillinois, on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1888, I purchased the following described tract, to wit: Lot 9, south half of section 18, township is north, range 1 east of the 3d p. m., taxed in the name of N. S. Runnell, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expended the sale will expended by the same of N. S. Runnell, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expended by June, A. D. 1889.

Town with the goods are going fast boys os alf-lined mitts 15 cents, oiled suits for teamsters \$1.50. Fur caps worth \$2 to \$2.50 go for \$1.00 at the Closing Sale now in progress at John Irwin's White Front.

White Front. Lapies' Imported Jackets, in new and handsome styles, at Link & Schudes.



GOSH!

→I Just Bought a Splendid

DINNER SET

BARTHOLOMEW'S FOR \$10.00.

HAWORTH'S PLANTING MACHINERY. The Haworth Corn Planter,

in general use for nearly ten rope, and withoutso much as a competitor; but in about 1878, when Heasemer Steel Wire became availa-A STEEL BAR CHECK-ROWER. Won't get out of adjustment. Also a SELF-RELEASING AN CHOR. The Check Wire is a guide to drive by.

Points Wherein it Excels.

Impossible for a clod to get on to the corp.

3d. The rear covering wheels, when they add the runners are clevated from the ground, act as a counterpoise to the privard part of the machine relieving the horses' necks.

4th. The covering wheels are adjustable to or from the furrows, so as the presents may be put immediately over the seed or from either side.

5th. The dropping apparatus has a point of advantage over all other retaries in that it, when the check-rower makes a mis-stroke, losses but one drop in place of two. A Perfect Drill Attachment.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

La Makes You Hungry

The Best

Spring Medicine.

Redemption Notice.

You are hereby notified that at a sale of land

Rederaption Notice.

To Mrs. H. M. McCaskill and the owners an parties interested in the lands or lots hereby after described

after described
You are herreby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of lithods, on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1886, I purchased the following described lots, to-wit: Lots 7 and 8, Hock 9, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name of Mrs. H. M. McCaskill, and that the time of the redemption thereof from sald sale will expire on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1889
J. N. BILLS.

Redemption Notice.

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L. Cazalet and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described

Medicine and Surgery.

T. B. SPALDING, M. D.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS. Office Hours—7 to 10 s. m., 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m Office in Central Block, over, B. Stine's Cistling Store.

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To W. H. Davidson and the owners and partie interested in the lands or lots hereinafte described;



ery Compound and it spring medicune means more now-a-days than it has had a salutary effect. It in rigoration is defense and feel like a now man. It improves the appetite and neulitates digestrated by Druggist, Endorsed by Ministers, too 1.1. If Cope. tion." J. T. COFE- Guaranteed by the Manufacturers to be

This Rower will plant equally well with the ground in all conditions. It may be planted immediately after the breaking plow, when the clods pulverize easily, by which the expense of harrowing is

saved; or harrow after the corn is planted.

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town, lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of lilinois, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1885, M. P. Murphey purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot it, in Block t, S. K. Thompson's Addition to the City of Decatur, taxed in the name of John Psinter, and that the time of the redennation thereof from said sale will expire on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1889.
7-day JOHN L. MURPHEY, Assignee.

Redemption Notice.

Redemption Notice. o John Sutter or Joseph Snyder and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town-hots for state, county shd special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1886, M. F. Murphey purchased the following described lots, to-wit: Lots is and 18, in block one, in B. Powers' Sub-Division of Lot 5 in the west lail of the southwest quarter of section 12, township 18, range two east of the third P. M. taxed in the name of Joseph Snyder, and that the time of the redeephpton thereof from and sale will expire ou the 28th day of June, A. D. 1889, feb7-d3w JOHN L. au/BFHEY, Assignee. Redemption Notice.

To George Priest and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter vou are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, nade in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and a sate of Illinois, on the 30th day of June, A. and state of filmoss, on the 30th day of June, A.
D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1886, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot
One (1). Block Five (6), Read & Co. 's Addition to
the City of Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name
of George Priest, and that the time of the redemaplion thereof from said sake will expire on
the 30th day of June, A. D. 1889.

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Redemption Notice. To George R. Priest and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots bereinafter described:

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, e.o. the 30th day of June, A. i), 1887, for the taxes for the year 1886, I purchased the following described lot, to wit: Lot One (1), Block Five (5), Read & Co.'s Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name of George Priest, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1889, feb5 RENRY A. WOOD. Redemption Notice. ested in the lands or lots hereinatter described:
You are hereby notified that at # sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of linkeds, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxes for the year 1886, M. P. Murphey purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 12, black 1, S. Powers Sub-Division of Lot 6 of the west half of the southwest quartar jacction 12, township 16, range two east of the third; P. M., taxed in the name of June, A. D. 1887. JOHN L. MURPHEY, Assignee.

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ment.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, | ss. In the Circuit Court to the Pebruary Term, D. 1889.

B. 1889.

S. C. Davis vs. A. Herman.

Public notice is hereby given to the said A. Herman, that a writ of attachment issued one of the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Macon county, dated the 2d day of January, A. D. 1889, at the suit of the said above named plantiff, and against the lands, goods, chatteis, rights, moneys, credits and effects of the said effendant, A. Herman, for the sum of threundred and thirty-live dollars (8338), directed o the Sheriff of Macon county.

Flow, therefore, unless you the said defend o the Sheriff of Macon county.

Now, therefore, unless you the said defend of, A. Herman, shall personally be and appear before the said County Court of Macon county, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in the city of Becalur, on serond Manday of February, A. D. Bessel, give ball and plead to the said plaintiff saction, judgment will be evtered against yea and in favor of the said plaintiff, and so much of the lands, goods, chattely, rights, moneys, even the said pudgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the said.

(410, 12, 44 MHY, Clerk.

Public Notice in Attach-

MILLS BROS., Attorneys for Plaintiffs.
Jan. 16th-3w ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC. Will draw deeds, mortgages and do all kinds of conveyancing; will also examine abstracts of title and promptly attend to any and all legal business entrusted to him.

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ATTORNEY AW
And Master in Chancery for Macon county, in
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ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW. Mee,in Court House Block, 1st door to left stairway. Special attention o matters in Probate an inametr. Railroad Time Tables

Office over Barber & Baker's shoe store ! last Main street, Decatur, I'll.

J. M. CLOKEY,

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC RAILWAY. [NOTE - "From 'denotes time of arrival, "To anotes time of departure.

FROM ST. LOUIS. TO ST. LOUIS H scribed:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 7887, for the taxes for the year 18%, M. F. Murphey purchased the following described lot, to wit: Lot 5 in Block 4, D. C. Webb's Addition to Macon in Macon county, Ill, taxed in the name of Mrs. E. Baird, and that the time of the redenption thereof from said sale will expire on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1883, 7-49w JOHN L. MURFHRY, Assignee. | Renoves time of separatric. | Probs. LOT is | Pass. ... 855 pm | No. 9 Pass. ... 6 & at | No. 49 Pass. ... 855 pm | No. 9 Pass. ... 6 & at | No. 44 Pass. ... 11:00 at | No. 42 Pass. ... 455 at | No. 42 Pass. ... 11:10 at | No. 42 Pass. ... 455 at | No. 42 Pass. ... 11:10 at | No. 46 Pass. ... 24:00 to | No. 60 Pass. ... 24:00 to | No. 71 Preight 5 & at | No. 71 PHOM QUINCY. TO QUINCY.
No. 42 Pass. ... 11:00 p.m. | No. 43 Pass. ... 4.34 at No. 44 Pass. ... 11:00 at m. | No. 45 Pass. ... 4.30 at No. 6 Pass. ... 6:15 at m. | No. 1 Pass. ... 9:19:10.
No. 48 Acc. ... 7:05 pm. | No. 47 Acc. ... 64 at No. 70, Freightios5 at m. | No. 71, Freightit 39:11

To Fred. Aboltz and the owners and parties in-terested in the lands or lots hereinafter de-scribed: PROM 70 LEDO & DETROIT. TOLEDO & DETROIT. NO. 42 Pass. 3:50 2 m No. 44 Pass. 1116 2 P No. 44 Pass. 1116 2 P No. 41 Pass. 9:06 p in No. 42 Pass. 1116 2 P No. 77 Pass. 9:06 p in No. 47 Pass. 1116 2 P No. 77 Pass. 9:06 p in No. 47 Pass. 1116 2 P No. 77 Pass. 9:06 p in No. 47 Pass. 1116 2 P No. 77 Pass. 9:06 p in No. 77 Pas You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Ma-con and state of Hilnols, on the 28th day of from Bemenis.35 a m to Is-ment . on and same of littlels, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1887, for the taxe for the year [886, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit Lot two, block one, Rolling Mill Second Addition to City of Decatur, Macon county, Il., taxed in the name of Fred. Aholtz, and that the time of the redemption thereof from raid sale will expire on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1889.

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